

YOUTH SERVICES POLICY

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Approved By: Mary L. Livers, Deputy Secretary	Date of Approval: 05/11/2009

I. AUTHORITY:

Deputy Secretary of Youth Services as contained La. R.S. 36:405. Deviation from this policy must be approved by the Deputy Secretary.

II. PURPOSE:

To establish the conditions of care and supervision for all females assigned to residential treatment programs by Youth Services.

III. APPLICABILITY:

Deputy Secretary, Undersecretary, Deputy Assistant Secretary - Community Based Services, Regional Managers, and contractors who provide treatment to females in the custody or under the supervision of Youth Services.

IV. DEFINITION:

Residential Treatment Facility – Program which provides long term structured behavioral treatment in a professionally staffed residential environment 24 hours a day.

V. POLICY:

It is the Deputy Secretary's policy that all Residential Treatment Program providers for female residents abide by the provisions contained in the attached Standard Operating Procedures.

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Attachments/References: Girls SOP 05-11-09.doc Cover of Girls SOP.pub